

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: James W. Woodcock, et al. : **Reply Under 37 CFR 1.116  
Expedited Procedure**  
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: Examiner: Victor D. Batson  
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Serial No.: 10/707,904 : Group Art Unit: 3671  
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Filed: January 22, 2004 : Attorney Docket No.: 718721.1  
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For: CULVERT OPENING AND  
CLEANING APPARATUS : Customer No.: 27128  
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: Confirmation No.: 1903  
Final Office Action: March 13, 2006 : :

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 13, 2006, please amend the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116 in accordance with the amendments and remarks set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this document.